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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **KAWAHARA, Yasuyuki et al.**

Group Art Unit: **1625**

Serial No.: **10/019,287**

Examiner: **Taylor V. Oh**

Filed: **January 2, 2002**

P.T.O. Confirmation No.: **1458**

**FOR: DICARBOXYLIC DIESTER, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME, AND
REFRIGERATING MACHINE LUBRICATING OIL COMPRISING THE ESTER**

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

June 21, 2004

Sir:

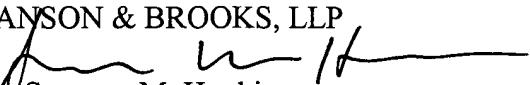
Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra			
Total Claims	109	54	=	55	X \$9	X \$18	990.00
Independent Claims	13	7	=	6	X \$43	X \$86	516.00
TOTAL FEES ENCLOSED:							1506.00

XX Enclosed please find our check in the amount of \$1926.00 for the additional claims fee in connection with this amendment and to cover the fee for a two month Extension of Time..

XX The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,
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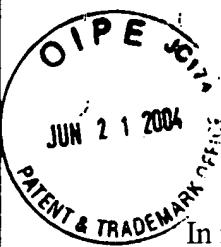
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR §1.111

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In response to the Office Action dated **January 21, 2004**, extended to **June 21, 2004** by a 2 month Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page ____ of this paper.

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